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Dear Sir:

Applicants elect Group I (claims 1 to 35) in response to the Election Requirement of September 20, 2002. In view of this election, the subsequent election of species requirement is moot.

Applicants traverse the requirement to the extent of requesting that claims in Groups II and III that correspond to allowable Group I claims be reinstated for allowance. An early and favorable action on the merits is requested.

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